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INFO OCT-01 ADP-00 SCSE-00 SCA-01 PM-07 NSC-10 SS-15

RSC-01 CIAE-00 DODE-00 INR-10 NSAE-00 PA-03 USIA-15

PRS-01 EB-11 COME-00 INT-08 CIEP-02 SCEM-02 TRSE-00

H-03 SSO-00 RSR-01 /103 W

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FM AMCONSUL DHAHRAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 3490

AMEMBASSY JIDDA PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG, SA

SUBJECT: ARAMCO ACCIDENT

1. ARAMCO REPORTS ONE OF WORST ACCIDENTS IN ITS HISTORY
OCCURRED THIS MORNING WHEN EXPLOSION/FIRE RESULTED FROM
ROUTINE OPERATIONAL REPAIR IN ABQAIQ AREA.

2. NINE PERSONS KILLED, ELEVEN SERIOUSLY INJURED, FOUR
OTHERS HOSPITALIZED. DO NOT KNOW IF AMCITS INVOLVED. NO
OTHER DETAILS AT THIS TIME.

3. TWO MILLION BARRELS PER DAY SHUT IN TEMPORARILY AS
RESULT ACCIDENT.BAHTI

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*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a

*** Current Classification *** UNCLASSIFIED

Message Attributes

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